Holland in early childhood, and Belgium her next door neighbour, she considered it her duty to come to the latter's assistance. The allegation sounded something quite like an Adam-and-Eve story; Adam accusing Eve, when taken to task by their Heavenly Father for having partaken of the fruit of the tree of knowledge; saying that it was no fault of his, as it was Eve only that induced him to do so.

As he was saying all this, he seemed suddenly to get startled at the sight of something untoward and exclaimed, "You see, a meteor is passing through my body." I really did not know whether to laugh at this fancy of his, or leave the matter there as something quite beyond our pale of reason. How could a meteor pass through his body while he was standing, not undet the open sky, but inside the library hall? Moreover, as his body^was only as big as that of a human being in all appearance, how could a big thing like a meteor, pass through it? It appeared quite absurd, but, when he was saying it, I just noticed a very small white point pass

from one side of his body to the other. When he saw that we were not ready to believe what he said,